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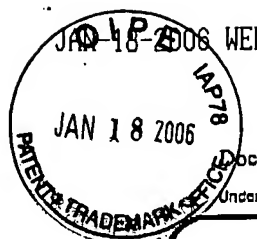
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Sir:

Applicants thank the examiner for the Notice of Allowance of November 02, 2005. However, Applicants neither acquiesce nor agree with the reasons for allowance stated in the file wrapper to the extent one would attempt to read any limitation into the claims not affirmatively recited therein and that patentability rest upon the totality of the features as claimed.

Respectfully submitted,

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